

CAMPAIGN FINANCE DIVISION

☒ WAIVER REQUEST

☐ RECONSIDERATION REQUEST

DATE: 9/10/2020

DOCKET #:

FILER INFORMATION

Name: Terrell "T-Bone" Wilson

Office: Justice of the Peace, Justice of the Peace District 1 Parish:

ST. CHARLES

Election Date: 7/11/2020

Level of Office: Any

REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: 30-P Original

Due Date: 3/5/2020 Date

Filed: 7/13/2020 Activity

Receipts: \$750.00

Expenditures: \$1,272.79

Funds at Close of Reporting Period: \$ 1,928.47

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$1000

Days Late: 130

Late Fee Order Received: 7/20/20 Payment/Waiver

Request Due Date: 8/10/2020 Waiver Request

Received: 8/5/2020

Additional Information Requested:

- Medical
- Financial
- Other

COMMENTS: During that same period, he qualified on January 9 2020 to run for the vacant seat of St Charles Parish District 1 Justice of the Peace. While completing/amending reports from the October 12, 2019 election, which resulted into November 16, 2019 runoff. Two contributions were mailed to his campaign that totaled \$750. Those two checks circulated through the United States Postal Service until it was then returned back to the senders. Finally, he was notified by the donors the checks were returned. He then picked up both checks in person. Once he picked up the checks, they were deposited in to his campaign account. When he completed the 40-G report on January 7, 2020, it did not include those two checks because at the time of filing, he was not in receipt of them. Upon filing his next report, he then included the contributions that were received on the 10-G. He received correspondence by mail that he had incorrectly filed the report with instruction on how to correct it to include that he had to file a 30-P report which included the contributions received on that report. This election should have occurred in April 2020 to fill the vacant spot. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the election was on July 11, 2020 and he did win for the short term, but has now requalified for the November 3, 2020 election for a full term of St. Charles Parish District 1 Justice of the Peace. To the best of his knowledge, all reports and amendments have been submitted.

OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

Campaign Finance:

Other Outstanding Reports: No

Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No

Reassessed Late Fees: No

Disclosure Statements:

Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No

August 6, 2020

Re: Request for Waiver: Late fee assessment for the July 11, 2020 Election 30-P Campaign Finance Disclosure Report filed 130 days late

On January 7, 2020, I received a letter dated December 30, 2019. The letter informed me that the 40G campaign finance disclosure report had not been received. It also indicated additional penalties would be access if the report is not filed by January 15, 2020. The 40G report was filed electronically on January 7, 2020.

During that same period, I qualified on January 9, 2020, to run for the vacant seat of St. Charles Parish District 1 Justice of the Peace. While completing/amending reports from the October 12, 2019 election, which resulted into a November 16, 2019 runoff. Two contributions were mailed to my campaign that totaled \$750.00. Those two checks circulated through the United States Postal Service until it was then returned back to the senders. Finally, I was notified by the donors the checks were returned. I then picked up both checks in person. Once I picked up the checks, they were deposited in to my campaign account. When I completed the 40G report on January 7, 2020, it did not include those two checks because at the time of filing, I was not in receipt of them.

Upon filing my next report, I then included the contributions that were received on *the 10 day prior to primary*. I received correspondence by mail that I had incorrectly filed the report with instruction on how to correct it to include that I had to file a 30 day prior to primary report which included the contributions received on that report.

This election should have occurred in April 2020 to fill the vacant spot. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the election was on July 11, 2020 and I did win for the short term, but has now requalified for the November 3, 2020 election for a full term of St. Charles Parish District 1 Justice of the Peace. To the best of my knowledge, all reports and amendments have been submitted.

At this time, I respectfully ask the Board to consider a waiver of the assessment fee. Any and all considerations will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully

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